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DETACHMENT "H"

11 August 1971

STANDARD OPERATING PROCEDURE

H-50-14 This SOP supersedes H-50-28 dated 4 November 1968, and replaces H-50-14 dated 20 January 1970 which is rescinded.

MISSION CRITIQUES

1. PURPOSE: To establish the requirement and procedure for conducting mission critiques. The purpose of these critiques will be to review with the pilot his flight line accuracy and equipment operation.
2. SCOPE: This SOP is applicable for all high altitude operational and training missions flown by Operational Pilots.
3. RESPONSIBILITY: It will be the responsibility of the Director of Operations to insure that Tracker/Camera imagery and equipment operation evaluations are accomplished and that mission critique periods are scheduled and conducted on a timely basis.

4. PROCEDURES:

a. The Intelligence Officer will monitor the accumulation of completed mission material and will inform the Director of Operations when a mission is ready for critique.

b. Training mission critiques will be scheduled once a month on the published ground training schedule. Operational missions will be critiqued as soon as tracker read-out and equipment operation data is received or within two (2) days of the completed operational mission.

c. Minimum attendance at each Training Mission Critique will be:

(1) Director of Operations or his Deputy.

(2) [REDACTED] Flight Planner or Intelligence Officer.

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(4) [REDACTED]

d. The critique will be conducted by the [REDACTED] Flight Planner or Intelligence Officer, who will review the following:

(1) Flight line accuracy and weather as plotted from the tracker, emphasizing flight line deviation and systems operation.

	ACT	INFO
DFA		
PLANS		
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IDEA	✓	
GS		✓
ED		✓
VPS		✓
INTEL		✓
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- e. The appropriate portions of the mission and critique form will be completed by the responsible section and filed in the Pilots Training Folder by the Director of Operations

✓ Detachment Commander

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